

HONORS FOR MEN OF SHIP GERMAN SANK

Captain of British Steamship Vosges Gets Naval Post and Service Medal.

MONEY GRANTS FOR CREW

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
LONDON, April 9.—The Admiralty issued tonight an appreciation of the services of Capt. John Richard Greene of the steamship Vosges, to whom is granted a commission as Lieutenant in the Royal Naval Reserve and the distinguished service medal.

The other officers of the Vosges receive gold watches and the members of the crew receive money grants for their conduct when the ship was attacked and sunk by a German submarine on the south coast of Ireland on March 27. Other honors are announced which incidentally locate for the first time the sinking of the German submarine U-12 off the Firth of Forth.

SHIP CHASED 57 MILES.

British Steamer Thesus Escapes Although Shelled by Submarine.
LONDON, April 9.—The Blue Funnel Line steamer Thesus, which sailed from Liverpool on March 27 for Java, was chased for 57 miles by a German submarine, but made good its escape. A report of considerable damage sustained through the shells of the submarine. A report of the incident was received at the Liverpool office of the line today from the captain of the Thesus.

The submarine was sighted at 7 o'clock on the morning of March 29, forty-five miles off the coast of Liverpool. The ship was fired at by the submarine, but the latter failed to sink the ship. The ship was chased for 57 miles, but made good its escape. A report of considerable damage sustained through the shells of the submarine. A report of the incident was received at the Liverpool office of the line today from the captain of the Thesus.

The submarine then opened fire with her 3 inch quick fliers and continued the chase until 10:30 o'clock, when she gave it up and apparently turned her attention to a small vessel flying the Norwegian flag.

TUG FIGHTS SUBMARINE.

Trials Valiantly to Ram It and French Bark Is Sunk.
LONDON, April 9.—A German submarine attacked the tug Hoger, towing the French bark Corbis, off the coast of the English port yesterday, according to reports reaching South Shields. A heavy sea was running at the time.

BOOST IN DYESTUFF INDUSTRY.

Six Plants Being Erected in U. S., Says a Report.
WASHINGTON, April 9.—The Department of Commerce has published the full text of a report compiled by Thomas H. Norton, a commercial agent of the department, on coal tar products and other dyestuffs.

Among other things, it is said that at least six plants are being erected in this country for the manufacture of the coal tar derivatives upon which the colors used in cloth manufacture, varnishes and other products are based.

RELIEF IN SITUATION.

"Dry Goods Economist" Tells of New Dyestuff Plants Here.

The Dry Goods Economist says: "Among the encouraging developments of the week was the reported statement from the British Embassy officials at Washington which points to greater ease in the shipment of certain kinds of dyestuffs from Germany. Some degree of relief to the dyestuff situation. Meanwhile, two new dyestuff plants have been opened in this country and a third is under construction. It is estimated that the cost of about \$12,000,000 annually, will be turned out in the United States."

RED TAPE STOPS TRAVEL.

Formalities for Paris-London Trip Entail Long Wait.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
PARIS, April 9.—The red tape difficulties surrounding a voyage from Paris to London have become so great that travel between the two cities has practically been abandoned. Would-be passengers are forced to sacrifice a whole business day in order to obtain the necessary documents, which include not only a passport of the passenger's own country and a residence permit, but a French passport.

For the present, however, delay is inevitable in various branches of the textile industry.

PEACE MOVE MAY LEAVE ITALY EMPTY HANDED

Reports That Austria Is Trying to Reach an Agreement With Russia Stir Rome—Officials Silent About the Trentino.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun

ROME, April 9.—Persistent reports are circulated of probable Italian intervention. There is also much talk here of the prospect of Austria concluding a separate peace with Russia. If the latter story proves to be true it will place Italy in a bad position, as it is believed Austria will then be unwilling to make any territorial concessions.

The foreign office today declined to confirm or deny the report from Paris that Austria had decided to cede the Trentino as the price of Italian neutrality. Extremists declare that the negotiations for Italian neutrality will fail and that intervention is inevitable. It is regarded as probable by the newspapers that reports of peace negotiations will be denied in official quarters until some tangible result is reached.

It is stated in diplomatic circles that the negotiations of Prince von Bülow with the Italian Government are still in abeyance. Reports of their successful conclusion are said to be completely unfounded. It is also said that the effort of Austria to make a separate peace with the Allies is likely to hasten Italian intervention, lest by further delay Italy should be left empty handed.

It has been learned in diplomatic circles that reports were purposely spread here and in foreign capitals that Prince von Bülow had succeeded in making possible direct negotiations between Austria and Italy, the object of which would be the eventual cession of the Trentino to Italy. The aim of those who spread the rumors was said to have been to cover up Prince von Bülow's failure in his mission here and also to create a pretext which would justify the abandonment of the Dual Monarchy when Italy intervenes.

In official circles here it is declared that the duplicity of Germany in this matter will soon be exposed, as the denunciation by Italy of the Triple Alliance, followed by other events which will make plain the future attitude of this country, is expected within two weeks.

WAR PREPARATIONS CONTINUE.

The Italian Government is withdrawing its railway rolling stock from the Swiss frontier. It is supposed the cars are to be used for the transport of troops and military stores in northern Italy, destined for the region bordering on the Tyrol. Meetings held at Milan and other places adopted resolutions declaring that it is absolutely necessary for Italy to participate in the war.

Big Meetings Arranged.

Mass meetings throughout Italy are being arranged for next Sunday by the Democrats, Radicals, Reformist Socialists and Nationalists—the parties favoring Italy's immediate intervention in the war for the purpose of bringing about such intervention.

NO MOVE BY POPE.

Vatican Organ Denies Promise of Aid for Austria.
Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
ROME, April 9.—The Osservatore Romano, the official organ of the Vatican, denies that the Pope has promised his good offices toward obtaining a separate peace for Austria.

The Pope has issued a decree ordering the recitation of peace prayers throughout the world during the daily Mass devotion to the Virgin.

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Gen. Pan, who stopped here on his return to Paris from Russia and the Balkan States, said in an interview that Austria and Rome greet him "fraternally" more than any other capital he had visited. He refused to make any statement as to his mission except to reiterate confidence in the final triumph of the Allies.

MUST SATISFY SLAVS.

Austria Can Thus Have Separate Peace, Russian View.

PETERSBURG, April 9.—The talk of a separate peace for Austria continues to be uppermost in unofficial and official circles, without any definite information on the situation. The Government absolutely declines to say whether it has been sounded through the Pope or any other quarter. It is the unanimous opinion, however, that when the overtures come Russia's demand will be that Austria unreservedly make every concession asked for by the Slavs.

On this subject the Russian Gazette said today that the Russian Government's position has changed recently. Formerly the Hungarians were all for war while the Austrians were for peace. Now the Hungarians are tired of fighting, but the Austrians insist on continuing.

STOP EXPORT TO ITALY.

Germania Also Hold Up Empty Cars Bound for Home.
LONDON, April 9.—A dispatch from Geneva says the German Government issued today an order prohibiting exports from Germany to Italy and stopping at the frontier all empty Italian freight cars bound for home. Italy made a demand for these cars several weeks ago.

Passenger trains arriving in Switzerland from Italy are crowded with German refugees. They had been activated by the German Consuls in Italy to leave that country.

GERMANS RETAKE VILLAGE ON YSER

Drei Grachten Captured Again From Belgians, Says Berlin Statement.
BERLIN, via London, April 9.—The Germans have taken again the village of Drei Grachten on the Yser, once before captured and recovered by the Belgians, according to the German official statement issued today. A new bombardment of the Belgians and the capture of several French attacks are also reported. The statement follows:

The Belgians again have been driven out of the demolished hamlet of Drei Grachten, on the Yser Canal. Two Belgian officers and four men and two machine guns were captured.

ENGLAND MAY STOP SELLING OF SPIRITS

Deputation of Liquor Men Has Conference With Lloyd George.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
LONDON, April 9.—Two other men of German birth are now under arrest with Anton Kueffler, their nationality is American citizen and all three will be placed on trial on the charge of high treason.

GERMANS CAPTURE 5,510 GUNS.

BERLIN, April 9, by wireless to Sayville, L. I.—The number of captured pieces of artillery in Germany on March 9 is given in an official statement issued today as 5,510 guns, of which 3,300 are Belgian, 1,300 French, 850 Russian and 60 British.

3-DAY TOURS TO WASHINGTON

APRIL 15, MAY 13, 20 AND 27
\$13.50 \$15.00 \$16.00
According to hotel records, the Pennsylvania R. R. has received a reference to dumplings which was not in the message from London. This read as follows:

"On Budapest dumplings were found in a mess of the French 55th Regiment who was taken prisoner."

ONLY ONE HEIGHT RESISTS RUSSIANS

Hold All of Carpathians and Have Upper Hand in Battles.

MANY ATTACKS REPULSED

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.

PETERSBURG, April 9.—Except for one mountain height, a few miles south of Lunkow Pass, the principal mountain range of the Carpathians, with its passes, railroads and high roads, is in the hands of the Russians from Regeta to Wolosata.

That means that for a distance of seventy-three miles, from a point slightly to the west of Regeta to a point a few miles north of Lunkow Pass, the Russians hold the upper hand. They have opened before them the valley of the On-dava and Labovitz for their invasion, the railroads of Bartfeld and Eperies, Lunkow Pass itself, Rostok Pass and the valley of the Siroka River. No definite information has been received about the situation at Regeta, still held by the enemy, but from its isolated position it would seem there is a likelihood of the holders of it finding themselves cut off. The statement is to-night follows:

Mountain Fray Fierce.

Engagements westward of the Niemen River were unimportant. In the Carpathians the Russians repulsed numerous German and Austrian attacks and continued their advance. All the Russian troops in the mountains for more than 110 versts (73 miles) from Regeta to Wolosata are in Russian hands except height No. 509, south of Volla-Michol.

The Russians took 1,200 prisoners Wednesday. There is no change on the other fronts.

Austrian Officer Describes Tactics Employed by Russians.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
LONDON, April 9.—The battle of the Carpathians is a continuous procession of artillery fire, attack and counter-attack under the most difficult circumstances, according to the Budapest correspondent of the Morning Post. An Austrian officer has just arrived at the Hungarian capital from the front and describes some of his experiences.

"The Russian tactics are very interesting," the officer is quoted as saying. "The thunder of the guns does not cease for a moment during the day. The Russians are determined this time to get into Hungary. Their waste of men and ammunition in their attacks indicates that they are not afraid of ending fierce battle along the entire line." The officer is quoted as saying:

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STILL CLEARING THE STRAIT.

Mine Sweeping Operations Continue in Dardanelles.
PARIS, April 9.—Mine-sweeping operations continue in the Dardanelles under the protection of warships, according to an official statement issued by the Ministry of Marine today. The statement says:

In the Dardanelles mine sweeping operations are being continued every night, the mine sweepers being protected by two large warships. The distribution of the Turkish fleet is slight and ineffective.

Austrian Airship Hits 72 Women and Children Victims of Attack in Montenegro.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
LONDON, April 9.—The Consul-General at Montenegro here has received the following official dispatch from Cetinje: An Austrian aeroplane passed over Cetinje on Thursday and dropped seven bombs in the market place of Cetinje, killing and wounding seventy-two women and children.

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FRENCH SEIZE TOWN IN DRIVE FOR ST. MIHIEL

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one of the main objects of our operations in the last few days.

Further south, in the Alilly wood, we have maintained our entire gain, representing a depth of 200 meters on a front 400 meters long. We also repulsed three counter attacks at this point.

In the Mortmare wood the Germans delivered fifteen attacks in an effort to recapture the trenches which we took from them yesterday, but were fifteen times repulsed. The ground is covered with heaps of bodies of German dead.

On the remainder of the front the following actions have been reported:

In Belidum, near Drei Grachten, the Germans, following an attack, succeeded in occupying a trench on the left bank of the Yser, while the Belgians, attacking near by, managed to cross to the right bank of the river, where they erected a bridgehead.

In the Champagne an infantry action of a lively character occurred on the 7th. The Germans attempted to retake part of the trenches which they lost last night. The attack was checked, except at one point, where they succeeded last night in occupying one of our advanced trenches. We delivered a counter attack today as a result of which we recaptured the trenches and drove the enemy back to the point from which he started, inflicting heavy losses upon him.

On the 8th, the Germans, who we have captured in the last few days on the hills southeast of Hartmannswillerkopf amounts to 150. The afternoon communiqué, describing the changes of the fighting in the St. Mihiel sector and mentioning the repulse of an attack on the British line, said:

British troops repulsed during the night of April 7-8 a German attack. Between the Meuse and the Moselle fresh progress was made. At Les Eparges we gained new ground, and drove the enemy back to the point from which he started, inflicting heavy losses upon him.

In the wood at Alilly we captured new trenches and repulsed two counter attacks, as already reported. We also secured six machine guns and two trench mortars. The enemy ceased his counter attacks after mid-day.

PARIS TO BAR THE TANGO.

Order Being Drafted to End All Choreographic Revels.
Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
PARIS, April 9.—Coincident with the arrest and expulsion from France of five teachers of the tango, that once popular dance has again become the subject of controversy. The entire press and a majority of the Parisian public are indignant at the suppression of the tango, which is regarded as a vulgar and indecent dance.

The friends of the tango form a minority, which while not voting in any way too loudly sincerely believes that all amusements which do not interfere with the conduct of the war should be permitted, if only for the sake of the employment of the tango teachers, waiters and even the maligned tango professors themselves.

That the danger against choreographic revels is proving successful is evident from an official announcement stating that an order forbidding the tango altogether is about to be drafted. The incident which led up to the decision of the five tango teachers was their failure to comply with the regulation that photographs be placed on permits to reside in Paris.

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U. S. OPPOSES TRIAL OF THE FRYE CASE

Reply to German Note to Sug- gest Adjustment Outside of Prize Court.

DAMAGES ONLY QUESTION

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The United States will send a reply to the German note with reference to the sinking of the American ship William P. Frye by the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

While the note, received yesterday, admitting the liability of the German Government is not regarded as in any way unsatisfactory, still the opinion is held at the State Department that it affords ground for a further discussion which may prove of value from the standpoint of the United States.

The note announced that the case would be sent to a prize court to determine the legality of the act and fix the amount of indemnity. It seems probable that the United States will suggest that such a step is unnecessary.

Since Germany admits the liability to damages under the treaty with Prussia of 1872, it is held that the only question left open is the amount of such indemnity. The State Department believes this can be adjusted without difficulty. The American Government has taken responsibility for the amount of damages asked by the owners of the Frye being the proper sum, and hence assumed here that the German Government can properly proceed to do business directly with Washington without going to a prize court.

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THRONGS CHEER EITEL AS RAIDER INTERNS

U. S. Ties Her Up in Norfolk—German Officers and Crew Get Shore Leave.

Norfolk, Va., April 9.—Greeted by thousands of people who lined the shores on both sides of the Elizabeth River and saluted by nearly every craft she passed the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich steamed to Norfolk from Newport News this afternoon in fifty minutes.

She arrived at the navy yard at 2:50 o'clock. She was accompanied by the American submarine D-2 and the naval tug Patuxent, which have been doing guard duty around the vessel for the past week. The Eitel was tied up at a pier south of No. 3 dry dock. She occupied a berth close to where the old frigates Constitution is lying.

Hear Admiral Healy met Capt. Thierchsen of the German vessel at the pier and they walked together to the office of the commandant in the navy yard. Here was read the conditions of the instrument of the Eitel.

Capt. Thierchsen was told that he and his officers would be given unrestricted liberty and that his crew would be permitted to go ashore frequently. None of the men will be permitted to leave this section of the country. They can only visit the cities of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News, but will be permitted to go to Virginia Beach and Oceanview summer resorts when the season opens.

The greater part of the machinery and wireless apparatus will be removed tomorrow.

WANAMAKER BUYS DOLLS.

Gets Historical Collection Dressed in Famous Paris Restaurant.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.
PARIS, April 9.—John Wanamaker has bought a collection of historical dolls dressed by the famous Parisian couturier, who is now in the city of Paris. The collection consists of dolls dressed in the costumes of the famous Parisian couturier, who is now in the city of Paris.

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